Attorney's Docket No. 116-010872**PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER**Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of: Kazuhiro HONDAEntitled: "Instrument and Method for Metrology"**Small Entity Status:**

- ☐ Small Entity Statement under 37 CFR 1.27 is enclosed
☐ Small Entity Status is asserted for this application under 37 CFR 1.27

Enclosed are: ☒ 6 sheet/s of drawing/s (Letter to the Official Draftsperson)☐ An Assignment of the invention to: _____☒ Declaration☐ Non-Publication Request Under 37 C.F.R. §1.213☒ Information Disclosure Statement**CLAIMS AS FILED**

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Multiple Dependent Claim/s			+ \$135.00	+ \$270.00	\$ 270.00
Basic Fee			+ \$355.00	+ \$710.00	\$ 710.00
			Total of above Charges		\$ 980.00
		Surcharge	\$ 65.00	\$130.00	\$ 130.00
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A check/s in the amount/s of \$ 1,110.00 is/are enclosed to cover the filing fee and
surcharge.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 or patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17 associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. Please refund any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0650.

An original and two copies of this sheet are enclosed.

September 17, 2001
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$270.
 - \$270 for multiple dependent claim surcharge.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1110.

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

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KAZUHIRO HONDA : INSTRUMENT AND METHOD FOR
Serial No. 09/877,223 : METROLOGY
Filed June 8, 2001 :

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LETTER

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Sir:

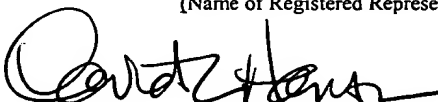
In response to Document PTO-1533 regarding "Notice To File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted" mailed August 8, 2001, attached hereto are the following documents for filing in the above-identified United States Patent Application:

1. Patent Application Transmittal Letter in triplicate for purposes of calculating the filing fee;
2. the required Declaration and Power of Attorney;
3. the required copy of the above-mentioned "Notice" to be returned with the response;

I hereby certify that this corresponding is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on September 17, 2001.

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4. our check in the amount of \$1,110.00 to cover the filing fee and the surcharge;

5. Claim for Priority;

6. Information Disclosure Statement; and

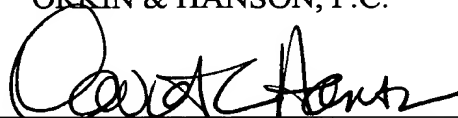
7. Letter to the Official Draftsperson.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. Please refund any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. The original and two copies of this Letter are attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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